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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20231USPS EXPRESS MAIL  
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MARCH 01 2002Re: NEW PATENT APPLICATION  
Attorney Docket No.: 4321  
Inventor: Seiji YOSHIMURA et al.  
Title: Lithium Battery

Dear Sir:

- 1) I am enclosing a NEW PATENT APPLICATION comprising:
- a) 22 pages of specification; 4 claims, 1 independent;  
1 Fig. on 1 sheet of formal drawings;  
an abstract;  
1 return receipt postcard;
  - b) Declaration, Power of Attorney;
  - c) Form PTO-2038 for (\$780.00) to cover the filing fee and the fee for Assignment Recordal. Any fee deficiency or additional fee may be charged to Deposit Account No.: 50-0507;
  - d) An Information Disclosure Statement, form PTO-1449 and 4 references; and
  - e) an Assignment Recordation Form Cover Sheet and one copy of Assignment for Recordal.

2) This application has been assigned to:  
Assignee: SANYO ELECTRIC CO., LTD.  
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The Assignment is being submitted herewith for Recordal.

- 3) The Priorities of earlier applications:

No. 61804/2001, filed on March 6, 2001 in Japan  
and

No. 38511/2002, filed on February 15, 2002 in Japan

are hereby expressly claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119. Please acknowledge the priority claims.

- 4) The Priority Documents will follow.
- 5) All correspondence for this application is to be sent to:  
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Very truly yours,

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